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FOLLOWING REPEAT BELGRADE 03795 ACTION SECSTATE USDA/FAS
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SUBJ: WORLD FOOD COUNCIL (WFC) THIRD SESSION

REF: (A) BELGRADE 3251, (B) STATE 277690, (C) BELGRADE 3729

1. DR. MILAN TRKULJA SIGNIFICANTLY MORE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT
THE POSSIBILITY OF MINISTERS REACHING AGREEMENT IN MANILA
THAN THREE WEEKS AGO (REF A). EARLIER THIS WEEK
TRKULJA
HAD INFORMAL DISCUSSION WITH MCMGARY
WALTERS, DEPUTY
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF WFC WHO REPORTED ON DR. JOHN HANNAH'S
TALKS IN U.S. BASED ON THESE DISCUSSIONS, TRKULJA FELT THE
PROBLEM OF INCREASING FOOD PRODUCTION IN DEVELOPING
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COUNTRIES AND AMOUNT OF OFFICIAL DEVELOPMENT AID (ODA) CAN
BE OVERCOME. THIS FEELING WAS REINFORCED BY RESULTS OF
THE RECENTLY CONCLUDED CIEC MEETING IN PARIS AS RELATED
TO ODA.

2. OTHER AREAS OF CONCERN ARE THE WORKING OUT OF OPERATIVE
ASPECTS OF THE WFC AND COORDINATING ACTIONS OF WFC WITH

OTHER INSTITUTIONS SUCH AS UNDP, FAO, ETC. (REF C). THERE IS ALSO INTEREST IN AN EXCHANGE OF VIEWS ON PROCEDURAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS THE ROLE OF THE PRESIDENT, THE RAPPORTEUR AND THE BUREAU.

3. TRKULJA INDICATED THAT MOST OF TQWREMAINING PROBLEMS APPEAR TO BE TECHNICAL PROBLEMS AND THAT IS SHOULD NOT BE TOO DIFFICULT TO PREPARE AN UNOFFICIAL TEXT DURING THE FIRST TWO DAYS OF THE MANILA MEETING. IN ADDITION TO CONTACTS AT THE MINISTERIAL LEVEL (REF C), TRKULJA INDICATED THAT AN EARLY UNOFFICIAL MEETING TO DISCUSS THE ABOVE MENTIONED PROBLEMS WITH U.S. OFFICIALS WOULD BE EXTREMELY USEFUL. THE YUGOSLAV DELEGATION IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN MANILA ON JUNE 19 AND PLAN TO STAY AT HOTEL MANILA.

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